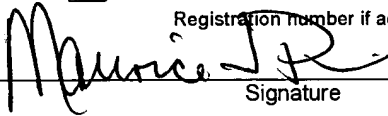


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 41826.8860US1	
Application Number 09/993,639-Conf. #1557		Filed November 27, 2001	
For COLLABORATIVE OBJECT ARCHITECTURE			
Art Unit 2142		Examiner J. D. Cardone	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):			
		<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$430.00	\$215.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$980.00	\$490.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1,530.00	\$765.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2,080.00	\$1,040.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check including the amount of the fee is enclosed.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.			
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0665. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.			
I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.			
<input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 33,273			
<input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____			
 Signature		October 19, 2004 Date	
Maurice J. Pirio Typed or printed name		(206) 359-8000 Telephone Number	
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total of 1 forms are submitted.			

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